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Examiner: L. Bullock  
Group Art Unit 2126  
For: **HIGHLY SCALABLE SOFTWARE-BASED  
ARCHITECTURE FOR COMMUNICATION  
AND COOPERATION AMONG  
DISTRIBUTED ELECTRONIC AGENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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- ☒ Amendment and Response
- ☒ Change of Address

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- ☒ Applicants request a one month extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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